Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 21 Jan 2023 until 23:59 on Sunday 22 Jan 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 21 Jan 2023 at 02:50

Confidence: High confidence for a change over the weekend to milder conditions with cloud and some light rain and a gradual thaw of snow at most levels by early next week. Windy at times over the coming days. Lower confidence for cloud amounts and timings of rainfall.

Headline for Saturday 21 Jan 2023: Cloudy with patchy light rain. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 21 Jan 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Dull	Light rain	Light rain	Mist	Fog	Fog
Precipitation probability					
40%	50%	50%	30%	30%	30%

Forecast for Saturday 21 Jan 2023

Weather: Cloud thickening before dawn with patchy light rain or drizzle spreading east. The day will stay mostly cloudy with patchy light rain at times.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 20%.

Low cloud and visibility: Broken cloud above 400m from the early morning with the visibility moderate or poor in cloud or rain, occasionally good in bright spells.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	27/38 S	28/39 S	28/40 S	30/43 S	33/47 S	33/47 S	29/41 S
300	11/22 S	13/24 S	15/27 S	16/30 S	18/33 S	18/33 S	16/29 S
Valley	9/21 S	11/23 S	13/25 S	14/28 S	16/31 S	15/30 S	14/27 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-5	2/-5	3/-4	3/-4	3/-4	3/-4	3/-3
300	4/1	4/0	5/0	5/0	5/0	5/0	5/1
Valley	5/2	5/2	6/2	6/2	6/2	6/2	6/3
Freezing Level*	1100m	1400m	1500m	1600m	1700m	1700m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing to add.

Forecast for Sunday 22 Jan 2023

Weather: A cloudy dull day in store with milder conditions and rain and drizzle at times and snow will begin to melt as freezing level rises above summit level.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 20mph with gusts 25-30mph easing gradually.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 30%.

Low cloud and visibility: Layers of scattered cloud above 500m are expected for most of the day. Visibility will be hazy at times and it will seem at little dull. In any heavier drizzle visibility may turn poor at times.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 2 rising to 6 Celsius.
At 700m: Minus 2 Celsius rising to plus 2 Celsius.
Freezing level: 300m rising above all summits.

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